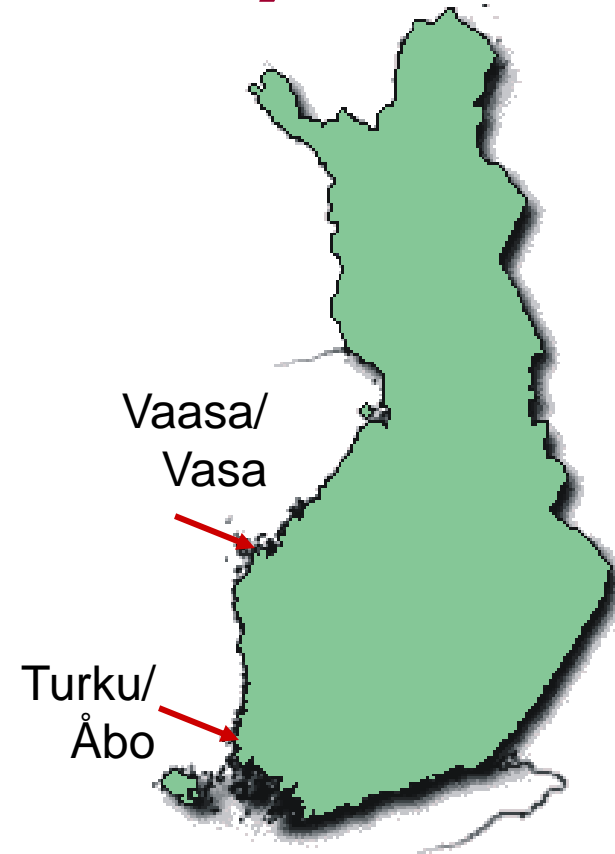


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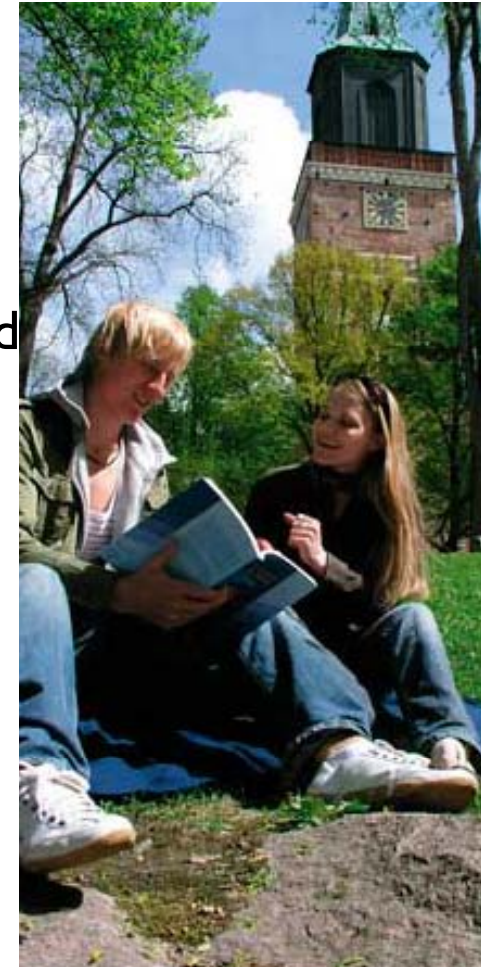
- Founded 1918
- Swedish-language university
- Multi-faculty university, seven faculties
- Today 7,000 students, over 600 international students
- 900 doctoral students
- Two campuses: Åbo and Vasa
- Small and personal university



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Faculties

- Faculty of Arts -1571 enrolled students
- Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences - 923 enrolled students
- Economics and Social Sciences -1555 enrolled students
- Faculty of Technology -1234 enrolled students
- Faculty of Theology -300 enrolled students
- Faculty of Education -1408 enrolled students
- Faculty of Social and Caring Sciences – 554 enrolled students



Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences

- Founded in 1918
- Activities:
 - Bio-sciences
 - Exact Sciences, i.e. chemistry, geology, mineralogy and physics
 - Mathematical sciences
- BioCity Science Park
- Husö Biological Station
- Centre of excellence in scientific research appointed by the Academy of Finland: Functional Materials



Campus milieu

- Situated in the old parts of Åbo/Turku
- Campus combination of donated residential homes and old factory storehouses as well as modern buildings
- Museums and archives
- Two adjacent university campuses



Student life

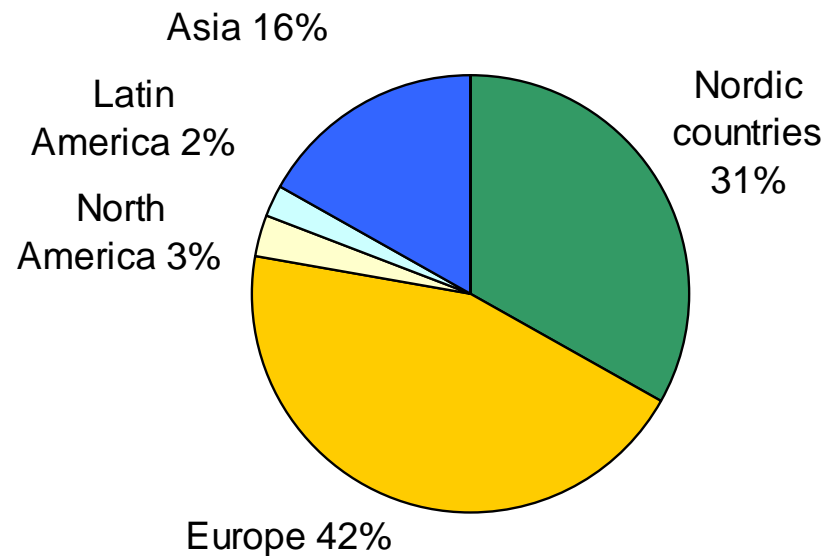
- Active student union
- Student apartments and -rooms at a reasonable price
- Versatile student culture
> 60 student associations
- Erasmus Student Network for international students
- Excursions, parties, language exchange, traditional student festivities



International university

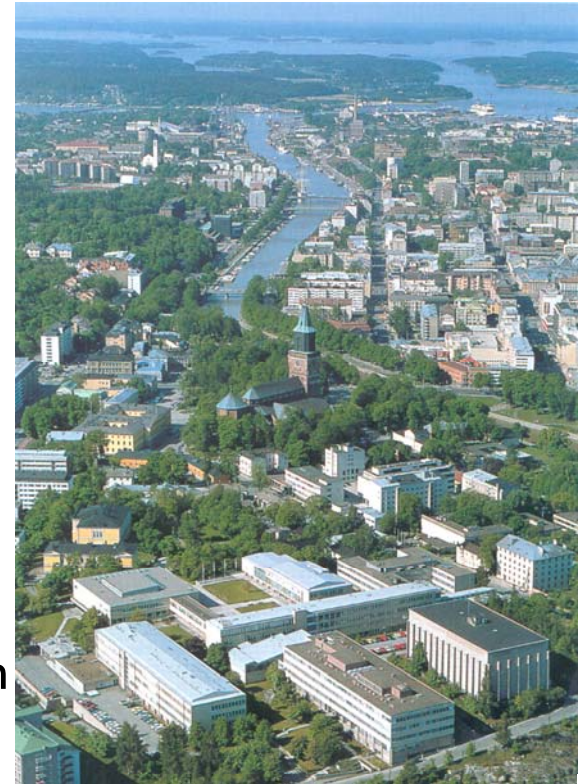
- 400 international degree students
- 200 exchange students
- Master's Degree Programmes taught in English

International students by region



Åbo

- **Åbo** is the oldest city in Finland and the country's former capital. Capital of its region, the Southwest Finland.
- South-West Finland has 450 000 inhabitants. In Åbo the population exceeds 170 000.
- European City of Culture in 2011
- Two universities and a lot of students, which makes it easy to have an active social life.
- Close to the unique, beautiful archipelago with over 20,000 islands.
- Friendly and welcoming environment in the oldest university town in Finland.



Finland

- Independent republic since 1917
- Member of EU since 1995
- Capital: Helsinki (population 560 000)
 - 17 inhabitants per square km
 - 67% live in urban areas
- Foreigners in Finland: About 107 000
- Surface area of 338 000 sq. km.
 - 70% forest
 - 10% water: 190 000 lakes and approx. as many islands
 - Europe's largest archipelago
- Population 5.2 million
- Swedish speaking minority of 6 %
- Climate: mild winters along the coast and relatively warm summers with almost 20 hours of daylight



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